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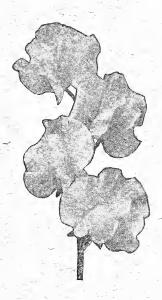


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NOVELTIES

SPECIALTIES

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Charles Elliott

Park Ridge, Illinois, U.S.A.

Fellow, of the Royal Horticultural Society, England, Member; American Sweet Pea Society National Sweet Pea Society of England Scottish Sweet Pea and Rose Society Read what the Florists say:

(Florist's Exchange.)

A Sweet Pea Specialist

Sweet Pea specialists who handle no other line are fairly common in Great Britain, but it is interesting to discover that we have at least one grower of a similar kind. The little catalog to hand from Charles Elliott, Park Ridge, Ill., contains a list of all the finest varieties of Spencer late flowering Sweet Peas; classified according to color on the lines laid down by the National Sweet Pea Society.

Mr. Elliott does well not to lose sight of the usefulness and value of the late flowering Sweet Peas; they deserve every attention despite the value of the earlier type for under glass. We have yet to see the latter type growing with the same tremendous vigor and producing the enormous flowers and

stems possible with the older type.

Mr. Elliott, it would seem, has an international trade and keeps himself well posted on Sweet Peas through his membership with several societies at home and abroad.

Outdoor Sweet Peas

An interesting feature of the meeting was an exhibit of outdoor grown Sweet Peas by Charles Elliott, Park Ridge, Ill. The varieties were all new, many of the growers' own raising. It was the best display of outdoor grown Sweet Peas ever seen by any of the florists present. The exhibit was awarded the club's certificate of merit.—Exchange, June 15.

(Florist's Review.)

Charles Elliott, of Park Ridge, whose seedling sweet peas were awarded certificates of merit at the meeting of the Chicago Florists' Club June 8, won a certificate of horticultural skill on a similar exhibit of sweet peas at a show of the North Shore Horticultural Society at Lake Forest June 12.

Elliott Shows Sweet Peas.

A splendid display of sweet peas was shown by Charles Elliott, of Park Ridge, Ill. They included seven excellent varieties of his own raising, grown outdoors, bearing flowers of bright colors on long, stiff stems. Each of the varieties was awarded the club's certificate of merit; they included Highland Mary, rose pink; Miss Winifred Jones, rose pink; Miss Dora Valintine, light blue; June Bride, white; Mrs. David Lloyd George, oleander pink; Mrs. Charles Elliott, blush, and pink bicolor 8-20.

— Novelties for 1923 —

"MRS. DAVID LLOYD GEORGE."

This is one of the finest varieties ever offered and has all the earmarks of a first class novelty.

The color is entirely distinct from anything ever offered, being a very bright pink, (corresponding with the bright pink shade seen in the Oleander blossom) on a pure white ground, while at its best it shows a edge of greenish gold.

The flowers are of the largest size, perfectly placed on stout stems, invariably in fours, and the plant growth is all that could be desired.

This variety was awarded the Silver Medal of the Newport Horticultural Society at its June Exhibition, 1922.

Certificate of Merit Chicago Florists Club.

Award of Merit, North Shore Horticultural Society, Lake Forest, Ill.

Packet of 10 seeds, 35c; 3 packets, \$1.00.

"MISS WINIFRED JONES."

The vase of this variety was greatly admired by the members of the Chicago Florists Club, when set up at their meeting June 8th, 1922, and was awarded the Club's Certificate of Merit.

The color is a bright rosepink on a cream ground, the stems are very long and wiry, which combined with a graceful placing of the flowers produces a beautiful effect for decoration or exhibition.

Packet of 12 seeds, 35c; 3 packets, \$1.00.

"ANTONIA DELORES."

This variety was raised in New Zealand, and is a true summer flowering Spencer of the finest type, the color is a bright Cerise, superior to "Doris" the leader in this section. Award of Merit, Dunedin Horticultural Society.

Packet of 12 seeds, 35c; 3 packets, \$1.00.

"ETTRICK."

Pale rose pink, an improved Mavis, excellent for exhibition or decoration.

Packet of 12 seeds, 35c; 3 packets, \$1.00.

ADVANCE. (King)

White ground, richly flushed rosepink, huge duplex flowers.

Packet of 12 seeds, 25c.

CYNTHIA. (Stevenson)

Pale lavender blue, very highly scented.
Packet of 10 seeds, 35c.

DIANA. (Stevenson)

A grand rich lavender, beautifully waved, vigorous. Packet of 10 seeds, 35c.

FAERIE QUEEN. (Dickson)

Beautifully flushed salmon pink on a cream ground, one of the most distinct and chaste of Sweet Peas.

Packet of 12 seeds, 25c.

MAY COWDY. (Unwin)

Has the size and vigor of the old favorite "May Unwin" and the fiery color of "Edward Cowdy," by far the most brilliant and vigorous Orange scarlet.

Packet of 12 seeds, 25c.

MRS. H. RICHARDS. (Unwin)

Color Salmon rose, flushed on a white ground. Very vigorous, a gem for exhibition, table decoration or garden.

Packet of 12 seeds, 25c.

MRS. NORMAN LAMBERT. (Woodcock)

A new color, deep blood crimson, resembling the rich dark crimson roses.

Packet of 10 seeds, 25c.

MIGNONNE. (King)

Rose suffused cream, a splendid shade for decorative work under artificial light.

Packet of 12 seeds, 25c.

POPPY. (Stevenson)

The most highly colored Orange red, a good grower and will stand the sun.

Packet of 10 seeds, 35c.

POWERSCOURT. (Dickson)

Award of Merit, N. S. P. S. & R. H. S. Beyond question the best lavender Sweet Pea, the flowers are mammoth, refined and nicely placed, strong constitution and very free flowering. Packet of 12 seeds, 35c.

ROSEMARY. (King)

A color distinct from any other Sweet Pea, a rich cherry rose on white.

Packet of 12 seeds, 25c.

—Novelties for 1923

ROYAL CHERRY. (Dickson)

A lovely variety of bright salmon cerise, of strong constitution and very free flowering.

Packet of 12 seeds, 25c.

ROYAL FLAME. (Bolton)

The color is a startling glowing Orange self, by far the richest color yet seen, the plant is vigorous, throwing an abundance of four-flowered sprays.

Packet of 10 seeds, 25c.

THE SULTAN. (King)

Award of Merit, N. S. P. S. A rich black velvet maroon, extra vigorous in growth, giving four large blooms on long stems, the darkest Sweet Pea yet raised.

Packet of 12 seeds, 35c.

SHAMROCK.

Award of Merit, R. H. S. Rosy Mauve. The plant is strong growing, flowers large, and well placed.

Packet of 12 seeds, 25c.

VISCOUNTESS LASCELLES. (Damerun)

A beautifully frilled pale lavender.

Packet of 12 seeds, 35c.

WONDERFUL. (Bolton)

A real scarlet, that keeps its color under all conditions, very strong growing, producing long stems carrying four large flowers of ideal form.

Packet of 10 seeds, 25c.

WILD ROSE. (Stevenson)

Very vigorous, a deep Old Rose shaded salmon, very distinct.

Packet of 10 seeds, 35c.

BENBOW. (Damerum)

Brilliant Carmine.

Packet of 12 seeds, 25c.

MRS. STERLING STENT. (Damerum)

Salmon Rose.

Packet of 12 seeds, 35c.

SHEILA. (Damerum)

Pale cream pink, fine for exhibition. Packet of 12 seeds, 25c.

IMP JEAN IRELAND. (Woodcock)

A great advance on the old variety of that name.

Packet of 10 seeds, 25c.

IMP ELEGANCE. (Woodcock)

A splendid stock of that popular exhibition variety, richer in tone, and very vigorous.

Packet of 15 seeds, 35c.

THE WORLD'S BEST STANDARD VARIETIES FOR EXHIBITION OR DECORATION

WHITE

CONSTANCE HINTON. (Blackseeded)

I have a splendid stock of this fine pea much of the objectionable pink tint having been eliminated by careful selection. Highly recommended for exhibition.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

EDNA MAY IMP.

The finest pure white on the market, selected stock, recommended for exhibition.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

KING WHITE.

Remarkable for its glistening whiteness and giant form. 50 seeds, 15c. Ounce, \$1,00.

INNOCENCE.

A grand white, of excellent substance, and handsome form, four and often five large blooms on long stems.

25 seeds, 35c.

MASCOTTS WHITE.

A pure white of great substance and very free flowering, a fine variety for florists.

50 seeds, 20c.

CREAM

FELTON'S CREAM.

The finest cream or primrose variety in existence, a splendid exhibition flower, my stock is superb.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

MAJESTIC CREAM.

A very fine new form of the shade, strongly recommended. 25 seeds, 20c.

MATCHLESS CREAM.

Of great size and vigor, four and five flowered sprays. 25 seeds, 25c.

BLUSH PINK

DAISY BUD.

A lovely thing in pink and apple blossom, a very large flower of finest form.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

ELEGANCE.

One of the finest Sweet Peas ever raised, pure silvery pink, beautifully waved, of great size and substance, four and often five flowers on very long stems.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

VALENTINE.

Blush pink, a very strong grower giving four and five to a stem.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

CREAM PINK

BRIDESMAID.

Rich salmon pink. Four and often five magnificent flowers on long stems.

40 seeds, 25c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

CARESS.

Shell pink, suffused creamy buff, a splendid pea. 40 seeds, 25c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

DIGNITY.

The plant is of robust growth, the flowers beautifully placed on long stems, while the color is the richest in the cream pink section.

25 seeds, 25c.

CECILY.

One of the most satisfactory varieties for any purpose, a very vigorous grower, producing an abundance of four and sometimes five flowered sprays; when grown for exhibition it is superb. A lovely salmon pink on cream ground.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

FAIR LADY.

A lovely flower, cream overlaid salmon pink.

25 seeds, 25c.

GIANT ATTRACTION.

A great advance over the well known variety Attraction, color deep shell pink suffused fawn, the standards are duplex and triplex, often three inches across.

25 seeds, 25c.

LA FRANCE.

Rich pink, a giant flower, beautifully frilled and very vigorous.

40 seeds, 20c.

MARGARET ATLEE IMP.

Rich rosepink on cream ground.

40 seeds, 20c.

MRS. ARNOLD HITCHCOCK.

Pale pink, flushed salmon on cream ground, four, five and six flowers on a stem.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

PICTURE.

One of the largest varieties we have, best described as flesh pink with a rosy flush, suffused apricot. Plenty of fours and fives in long stout stems.

40 seeds, 25c. 1 oz., \$1.25.

PINK

CAPT. CHAS. BURGESS.

Nearest we have to the true apple blossom color. Bright salmon pink on white ground, an exquisite variety.

25 seeds, 35c.

EDITH.

An improved Daisybud, rich bright rosepink, suffused salmon, on white ground, gives many double standards.

25 seeds, 25c.

HAWLMARK PINK.

The richest colored pink Sweet Pea, bright rosepink shaded salmon, a vigorous plant producing four large flowers of finest form.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

HEBE.

A improved Hercules, having all its vigor, richer in color and broader in the standard. The finest rosepink offered.

40 seeds. 20c.

UNWINS PINK.

A rich bright pink overlaid salmon. Flowers are large, and well placed in fours on long stems of the finest exhibition quality.

40 seeds, 25c. 1 oz., \$1.25.

INVICTA.

A new shade. Best described as Vieux Rose, a telling vase for exhibition.

25 seeds, 20c.

ROSE AND CARMINE

MASCOTTS INGMAN.

A gigantic Sweet Pea, rich rosy carmine, unequaled in size, substance, form and freedom of flower.

25 seeds, 20c.

RENOWN.

A rich rose shade, one of the best.

25 seeds, 20c.

ROSE ELLIOTT.

DEEP ROSE. A beautiful self colored flower, a strong grower, large bold flowers in bunches of four on long stout stems.

40 seeds, 25c.

ROSALIND.

Rich rose crimson with a salmon base.

25 seeds, 20c.

SUNSET. (Boltons)

Bright rose, flushed cherry red, with golden base, six, seven and sometimes eight flowered sprays.

25 seeds, 25c.

SALMON PINK

HAWLMARK SALMON PINK.

The most beautiful Sweet Pea ever offered, rich pure salmonpink shaded orange, a vigorous grower, with four and five flowers of largest size and finest form.

25 seeds, 25c.

JOHN PORTER.

SALMONPINK.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

ORANGE PINK

BUNTY.

The standard is Orange salmon, wing rosy salmon, the best in this section, strong grower ,and plenty of fours.

25 seeds, 20c.

GEO. SHAWYER.

Orange pink, a very strong grower. 25 seeds, 35c.

HILDA.

A giant Spencer of finest form, with orange standard and salmon pink wings.

25 seeds, 20c.

ORANGE

H. H. LEES.

PALE ORANGE. Of pure color and giant form. 40 seeds, 20c.

TANGERINE IMP.

A magnificent orange, a great advance on the original, a stronger grower with brighter color.

25 seeds, 25c.

SALMON

BARBARA.

A beautiful self colored salmon of good size. 50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

SALMON QUEEN.

A lovely salmon self, a much improved Barbara, having more color, and producing more four flowered spray.

25 seeds, 25c.

SUNSET. (Stevenson's)

Salmon Orange, very vigorous, fine for exhibition. 25 seeds, 25c.

CRIMSON

CHARITY.

A noble pea, rich crimson, a vigorous grower with plenty of fours.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

CRIMSON QUEEN.

A improved form of the above, more vigorous, of better color.

50 seeds, 20c.

CRIMSON GLOW.

Rich deep velvety crimson, which glows in the sun. Good sturdy habit and gives plenty of fours.

25 seeds, 25c.

FIELD MARSHAL.

Rich deep blood crimson, a splendid variety. 25 seeds, 20c.

UNWINS CRIMSON.

Brightest and best crimson to date. 25 seeds, 25c.

SCARLET

HAWLMARK SCARLET.

Brilliant Scarlet.

25 seeds, 25c.

MASCOTT'S SCARLET.

A shade deeper than is usually known as scarlet. 25 seeds, 25c.

ROYAL SCOT.

The last word in scarlet, a strong grower producing plenty of fours of the most brilliant hue.

40 seeds, 25c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

SCARLET GLOW.

Rich glowing scarlet red, a good keeper.

25 seeds, 25c.

SCARLET QUEEN.

A lovely shade that will stand the sun, the flowers are large and beautifully frilled, in fours on long stems.

25 seeds, 20c.

CERISE

BRILLIANT.

Cherry Cerise of full exhibition size, four and five flowers on a stem.

40 seeds, 25c. 1 oz., \$1.25.

ROYAL SALUTE.

In describing this color as approaching the Paul Crampel geranium is no exaggeration, an outstanding variety.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

DORIS.

A giant Sweet Pea, of world wide popularity, color pale cherry cerise.

50 seeds, 25c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

GLORY.

One of the best introductions, a salmon cerise of great size. 40 seeds, 25c.

HAWLMARK CERISE.

The finest self colored cerise Sweet Pea. Flowers of extraordinary size and substance, glowing cerise on cream ground, four flowers on a stem.

25 seeds, 20c.

ORANGE SCARLET

GLORIOSA.

The plant is very vigorous, producing abundantly four flowered sprays of largest size, fiery orange scarlet in color, with a glowing orange sheen.

25 seeds, 35c.

SENSATION.

Rich dazzling orange scarlet, an outstanding color.
40 seeds, 25c.

THE PRESIDENT.

A brilliant orange scarlet.

50 seeds, 15c. 1 oz., 75c.

LAVENDER

AUSTIN FREDERICH IMP.

A huge flower of great substance beautifully waved, a persistent grower in the hottest weather, will please the keenest grower.

25 seeds, 20c.

COLNE VALLEY.

Lavender blue, quite distinct, flowers of great size in four and five flowered sprays.

25 seeds, 25c.

GLADYS.

A lovely shade of lilac, it makes a glorious bunch, and has superseded all others in this shade.

25 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.25.

HAWLMARK LAVENDER.

The purest Lavender offered. The plant is very robust and floriferous, long strong stems carrying four large beautiful flowers.

25 seeds, 20c.

R. F. FELTON.

Still the finest of lavenders.

50 seeds, 15c. 1 oz., 75c.

LAVENDER BELLE.

Distinct from any other as it is a pure self, without any tint of rose or blue.

25 seeds, 20c.

BLUE

MRS. TOM JONES.

Bright Delphinum blue, the finest in this section, flowers of largest size and finest form.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

COMMANDER GODSALL.

Violet blue. Plant very vigorous of easy cultivation throwing four and five bloom sprays on long stems, a gem for exhibition.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

JACK CORNWALL V. C.

The finest navy blue, very vigorous. Everyone's favorite for exhibition and garden.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

PURPLE

FLORADALE PURPLE.

A rich warm shade of rose purple, vigorous in habit, brighter than the favorite in this shade, Royal Purple.

40 seeds, 25c.

LA MAHDI.

Large flowers of rich purple, well placed on long stems. 25 seeds, 20c.

ROYAL PURPLE.

One of the most distinct flowers in cultivation. A rich purple, strong grower with plenty of fours.

50 seeds, 15c. 1 oz., 75c.

MAROON

RAVENSWING.

The darkest of all Sweet Peas, as dark as the black pansy. Plant is very robust and free, flowers of good size and beautifully waved.

25 seeds, 20c.

SPLENDOR.

Rich red maroon, resembling Warrior in size and vigor, but is brighter, and without a trace of purple.

40 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.00.

WARRIOR.

A grand flower, rich chocolate maroon, of gigantic size and perfect form.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., 75c.

MAUVE

THE LADY EVELINE.

The best mauve for exhibition, a great improvement. 50 seeds, 15c. 1 oz., 75c.

KING MAUVE.

Pure Mauve, giant flower, quite distinct, a very strong grower.

50 seeds, 15c. 1 oz., 75c.

MASCOTTS HELIO.

Lavender shaded bronze.

25 seeds, 20c.

STRIPED AND FANCY SHADES

BROCADE.

Satin Rose shaded mauve, a very vigorous variety.
50 seeds. 20c.

MAGIC.

Liquid Bronze, very fine.

40 seeds, 20c.

CONQUEST.

Large and beautifully waved flowers, flushed and deeply edged rich salmon on a white ground.

25 seeds, 20c.

MRS. WAKEFIELD.

Cream ground, edged and flushed rosy scarlet.

50 seeds, 20c.

SALENA.

Cream ground, shaded deep rose. 40 seeds. 20c.

PICOTEE

DAISY K. ELLIOTT.

The Princess of all picotee Sweet Peas, one of the strongest growers ever offered, plants grown on four stems produce wonderful flowers, in bunches of four on great stems, the ground color is white with a broad band of bright rose.

25 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., \$1.25.

ANNIE IRELAND.

An improved Elsie Herbert, pure white edged rose.

50 seeds, 20c. 1 oz., 75c.

JEAN IRELAND.

A large flower of great refinement, creamy buff, beautifully edged carmine.

50 seeds, 15c. 1 oz., 75c.

CHERUB.

Deep cream, edged bright rose. 50 seeds, 15c. 1 oz., 75c.

BLUE PICOTEE.

Pure white ground, with a narrow edge of violet blue, strong grower and a great favorite.

50 seeds, 15c. 1 oz., 75c.

PATTI WANT.

A distinct and dainty picotee, white ground, with a wire edge and faint penciling of pale blue over the whole flower.

25 seeds, 20c.

BICOLOR

ADELAIDE.

Rich Purple standard and Electric Blue wings, a great favorite with the ladies.

50 seeds 20c.

DORA.

A cream and pink Bi-color, the leader in this section. 40 seeds 20c.

SPARKLER.

Standard bright rose scarlet, wings cream shaded rose pink. 50 seeds 20c. Oz. \$1.00.

WORLD'S BEST GARDEN SET.

King White, Daisy K. Elliott, Elegance, Hawlmark Pink, Rose Elliott, Tangerine, Doris, Sensation, Royal Purple, Mrs. Tom Jones, Warrior, R. F. Felton,

12 Varieties, 50 seeds of each, \$2.00.

THE WORLD'S BEST COLLECTION OF EXHIBITION VARIETIES

Constance Hinton, White Daisy K. Elliott, Picotee.

Daisybud, Pale Pink.

Elegance, Blush.

Hawlmark Pink, Salmon Pink,

Picture, Cream Pink.

Majestic Cream, Cream.

Hawlmark Cerise, Cerise.

Royal Scot, Scarlet.

Charity, Crimson.

Salmon Queen, Salmon.

Mrs. Tom Jones, Bright Blue. Commander Godsall, Navy

Blue.

King Mauve, Mauve.

Floradale Purple, Rich Purple.

H. H. Lees, Orange.

Warrior, Maroon.

Dora, Bi-color.

Renown, Rose.

R. F. Felton, Lavender.

One packet of each, containing 50 seeds, \$5.00.

I can also supply in packets of 50 seeds the following varieties. 20 cents per packet:

Annie Bownass, Salmon Pink on White ground. Beryl, Bright Salmon Pink.

Bluestone, Electric Blue.

Climax, Rose Carmine.

Elfreda Pierson, Blush Pink.

Faith, Pure Lavender.

Floradale Fairy, Primrose.

Geo. Herbert, Rose Carmine.

King George, Giant Lavender.

Dobbie's Cream, Cream.

Edith Cavell, Rose Pink.

Rosebelle, Rose.

Tangerine, Orange.

Fiery Cross, Cerise.

Hope, Cerise.

Illuminator, Salmon Cerise.

Mrs. C. P. Tomlin, Scarlet.

King Edward, Crimson Spencer.

Hawlmark Maroon, Maroon. Dobbie's Maroon, Maroon. Edrom Beauty, Salmon Orange.

Italia, Pale Mauve.

Bacchus, Rich Wine Shade.

Hercules, Rose Pink.

Elsie Herbert, Picotee.

Lavender Geo. Herbert, Lavender.

Senator Spencer, Chocolate Flake.

Sincerity, Cerise.

Peace, Pink.

Prince George, Lilac and Violet Rose.

Mavis, Soft Pink.

Margaret Madison, Pale Blue.

King Alfred, Orange Pink.

Mrs. Fred Kelly, Blue Picotee.

Alexander Malcolm, Scarlet Cerise.

Mrs. W. Cuthbertson, Pink Bicolor.

